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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- · The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$900 for a Large Entity

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\$770 Statutory basic filing fee.

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Serial No Filed

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10/792,293

March 2, 2004

For

DEVICE FOR COMPENSATING FOR FLUCTUATIONS IN A LIGHT SOURCE AND FILM SCANNER

FILING OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION -WITH AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application, filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b), mailed May 25, 2004 and relating to the above-identified application Serial No. 10/792,293 Applicant hereby submits the following and authorizes the following charges:

- A newly completed 2004 Fee Form authorizing the charge of \$770.00 to our corporate deposit account number 07-0832.
- 2. A surcharge of \$130.00 required under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for paying the filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the application;
- 3. An executed Declaration from the inventors; and
- A copy of NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION Filed 4. Under CFR 1.53(b).

Please charge the filing fee and the surcharge to Deposit Account No. 07-0832.

Respectfully submitted,

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	10/792,293			
Filing Date	March 2, 2004			
First Named Inventor	Andreas Loew et al.			
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Attorney Docket No.	PD030028			

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SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 770			1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional		
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